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PROCESSING PROGRAM, AND DATA  
PROCESSING DEVICE

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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination of this application pursuant to the Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith, and in response to the Action dated June 14, 2005, please amend this application as follows.

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